

## DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN

## Mid Semester Make Up Examination - 2014

## **School of Communication**

Five-year Integrated M.A. Communication Programme- Semester III COMM: 205 - Digital Media & Information Age

Time Allowed: 2Hours

Maximum Marks: 30

Note: Attempt All Sections

SECTION: A (Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 150 words. Attempt any Three Questions)

Marks 3 X 3 = 9 Marks

- 1. Tim Berner's Lee
- 2. ARPANAT
- 3. Edward Snowden
- 4. Julian Assange
- 5. Packet Switching

## SECTION: B (Long Answer Type Questions to be answered in about 500 words. Attempt any Three Questions.) Marks 7 X 3 = 21 Marks

- 1. The birth of Internet was a collaborative effort of many! Identify the people whose collective contribution resulted in the birth and rise of Internet.
- 2. Edward Snowden and Jullian Assange are both software engineers turned whistle-blowers and are leading their lives in political asylum in different nations. Critique!
- 3. Citizens can be made to compromise their privacy in the light of the nation's security and common good. Critique the statement in the light of the Spying activities lead by USA and UK government authorities.
- 4. We live in a strange world, "Chen Guangcheng, the Chinese activist who demanded equality in China finds a good home in United States of America, and people like Edward Snowden have to take refuge as a political asylum in other nations". Comment.